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PUT TO THE TEST.

The Story of Ratu Tanito's Love and His Choice of a Wife.

Ratu Tanito, son of the great King Tui Katubua, dwelt in Viti Levu, which some call Fiji. He was in stature like to the tree mba, and a light shone in his young eyes, so that his presence could be known at night. His canoe sped with the wind; his dancing in the war dance brought forth a great shout from the people; his arm broke apart the strongest breakers, and men called him the "King's Arrow."

Now when the make was ended that they had danced on the eighteenth birthday of Ratu Tanito, Katubua called his son to him and said:

"My son, shall my line end with you?"

Ratu Tanito answered: "Not so, my father, for I will marry."

Then the King said: "Ratu Tanito, choose a wife, observing these three requirements: first, that she be young; second, that she be strong, and third, that she be obedient."

"My father," replied the young man, "is not also a requirement that she be beautiful?"

The King answered: "Obedience is beauty."

"Tui Viti," said Ratu Tanito, "I have chosen a wife. She is young, for she was born on the day when I first stood erect. She is strong, for she can abide the grasp of my hand without flinching. She is obedient, for she has honored her parents. And she is beautiful as the day anemone as the night."

"I see her my heart is as a basin in which the springs surge hotly up and fall back in tumult."

"Who is the maiden?" said the King.

"Her name is Ekasa," the youth replied. "She dwells in Vanua Levu, and is the daughter of Savakava, his King."

"Have you spoken to her of love?" the King asked.

"No," said Ratu Tanito.

"Go and speak with her concerning her parents," said the King.

Tui Katubua having thus commanded, Ratu Tanito departed by night in his canoe to Vanua Levu.

And he was clear, and he came before the King and said:

"Tui Viti, I have performed your commands and have spoken with the maiden Ekasa concerning her parents."

The King repeated the words of Ratu Tanito and, looking on his son, said: "Abide now with me, and at the end of the seven days go again to the maiden and speak with her concerning war and combat with the sharks."

And Ratu Tanito did as he was commanded, and returned with a clear brow and said: "My father, I have done according to your commands."

And again the King commanded him to abide for seven days, and returning to the maiden to speak with her concerning the gods. And it was done as he commanded.

Then said Tui Katubua: "Go now, my son, and speak with the maiden concerning the government of men."

And Ratu Tanito departed and came to Vanua Levu.

But when he returned thence his brow was clouded and his eyes were angry, and as he reached his father's presence he stepped with a firm step. "Now my son," said the King, "our canoe has met with a mischance and has been dashed against a rock."

Whereas the Princess cried out. He is ignorant what they are to be, said the King. "This is a fair match. Behold, he is as much surprised as you are."

"And if I lose my money, said Ekasa. You shall marry him," said the King.

Then the King said: "Princess, are you ready for the first test?"

"But," said Ekasa, "I have not yet accepted your conditions."

"Ratu Tanito," said the King, "behold your wife!"

"Nay!" cried the Princess. "I am in your power. Propose to me your tests and let your son prepare for a life of slavery."

Katubua thereupon caused two turtle's eggs to be laid before the Princess, and said: "Maiden, of these two eggs which will bring forth a male turtle and which a female? This is the first test that we propose to you."

At this the Princess crossed her arms upon her breast and laughed scornfully. "This is a test of folly, not of wisdom," she said. "Not all the men in the world could declare of which of these two eggs should be born a male turtle and which a female."

But Ratu Tanito stepped forward quickly and took the eggs into his hand and crushed them. "Of neither," he said.

Then Katubua said: "Maiden, though in truth the question seems idle, yet the youth is right, for a man must know when to act."

Next there were brought forth two bowls, one covered with a lust of woven grass. And Katubua said: "This is the second test. Of these two bowls choose that which is full of water."

Katubua trembled, but quickly stretched out her hand and laid it on the nearest bowl, saying: "This is it."

"Choose you, now," said the King to Ratu Tanito.

But Ratu Tanito crossed his arms upon his breast and said: "Not so; for who should say that both bowls are not empty?"

Then the King drew away the mate of woven grass and both bowls were empty.

"Maiden," said Katubua, "the youth is right, for a man should know when to speak."

Then Ekasa bit her lip and said: "You judge with me."

"Yes," said Katubua, "the youth has detected our jugglery. But here is the third test and perhaps you will still win him for a slave. Who loves a child better, his father or she who bore him?"

Ekasa's eyes flashed and she drew herself up. "And he is right," said the King. "For a father who loves his child better, his father or she who bore him?"

Then Ekasa stamped her foot and cried aloud in bitterness.

"It was a trap! You have warned him what answers he should make and have plotted between you to shame me! Shame father on you, Tui Katubua!"

Ratu Tanito strode to her side and caught her by the wrist and said:

"Go back to your people. I will none of you. You have dishonored my father. Go back to your people. Make a way there for the Princess. I will have her!"

"Make a canoe ready and set her on the shore of Vanua Levu."

But Ekasa's eyes fell and she did not move; only stood in her place trembling.

Then Katubua said: "Ekasa, my daughter, the Princess has chosen you. When should a woman disobey her husband?"

And Ekasa lifted her tearful eyes and answered. "Never, oh my father, save when he bids her leave him."

And of the union of Ekasa and Ratu Tanito was born the great King Ratu Katubua, who men called the Seat of Justice and also Tui Viti, the Rock of War.—*Chit-ay-Globe.*

NOTHING LEFT OF THE BANK.

Clamorous Depositors Surround Lait & Co.'s Office.

Two Financiers Gone from Grand Street in a Hurry.

"Swindlers!" "Robbers!" "Give us our money!" were shouts that arose this morning from a crowd of excited and angry creditors gathered in front of the banking office of Leon Lait & Co., at 378 Grand street.

The creditors talked in a foreign jargon and all at once created a great commotion in that crowded thoroughfare. Soon thousands of people gathered in the neighborhood and looked on, expecting something sensational to happen.

The police with difficulty kept back the crowd and prevented the incensed victims from attacking the office.

Flashed that neither Lait nor his partner, Mr. Epstein, appeared, the creditors finally went away in detachments. One delegation went to Lait's house, 222 Henry street, to search for him there. Another went to the Essex Market Police Court to swear out warrants for the arrest of Lait and Epstein.

A few remained to keep watch on the place. At his home, Areadus street, Lait's nephew, said that Lait had gone to Philadelphia to get money to meet his obligations, which he said would not exceed \$2,000, but the crowd would not be put off by such excuses. Nothing but their money would satisfy them.

"He has gone to Canada with our money, not to Philadelphia," the men exclaimed, and they went back to join their fellows on Grand street.

If Lait had made his appearance, and would not have been prepared to settle on the spot, he would have faced badly at the hands of that maddened mob.

Not one of them had a claim against Lait which amounted to more than \$40, and most of them were for less than half that sum, but they were men who have to work hard for their money and could ill afford to lose it. A dollar to them means a great deal.

Lait was one of that class of basement bankers who abound on the east side, and who do an extensive business in steamship ticket brokerage.

Just now, when there is so much suffering in Russia, people here who have relatives there are anxious to bring them to this country, and as Lait offered great inducements to purchasers to buy their tickets through him he got most of that patronage.

He also offered big returns for money deposited with him for investment, and many left their hard-earned dollars with him. In this way it is said he secured \$10,000 from poor families, in sums ranging from \$5 up to \$40.

Rumors that he was shaky and that he was doing a crooked business began to spread a few days ago. Lait was arrested on complaint of a man who had deposited \$35 with him to be sent to Russia. The money never reached there, and the depositor, who is a Russian, is now in New York, and the news of his arrest travelled slowly. Only a few got warning in time and withdrew their money.

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